FISCAL NOTE

SB 1208 - HB 1145

March 4, 1997

SUMMARY OF BILL: Enacts the "Electricians Licensing Act of 1997" and authorizes the Licensing Contractors Board within the Department of Commerce and Insurance to implement the provisions of the bill.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Revenues - Exceeds \$500,000
Increase State Expenditures - \$411,240 - Recurring \$156,000 - One-Time

Revenue is to be generated by fees, the amount of which will be set by the Licensing Contractors Board. The bill requires the board to set fees in an amount sufficient to pay the cost of implementing the provisions of this act.

Expenditure estimate assumes:

	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>One-Time</u>
7 Contractor Inspector positions	\$175,000	
7 Clerk 3 positions	126,000	
Benefits for the positions	72,240	
Computer Equipment		\$ 57,000
Office Furnishings / File Cabinets		44,000
Operational Expenses	<u>38,000</u>	
Computer Program Development		20,000
Develop Licensure Examination		30,000
Design & Print Application Form		<u>5,000</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$411,240</u>	<u>\$156,000</u>

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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